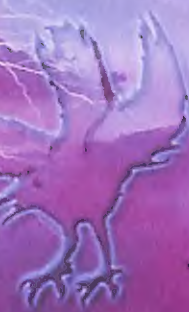




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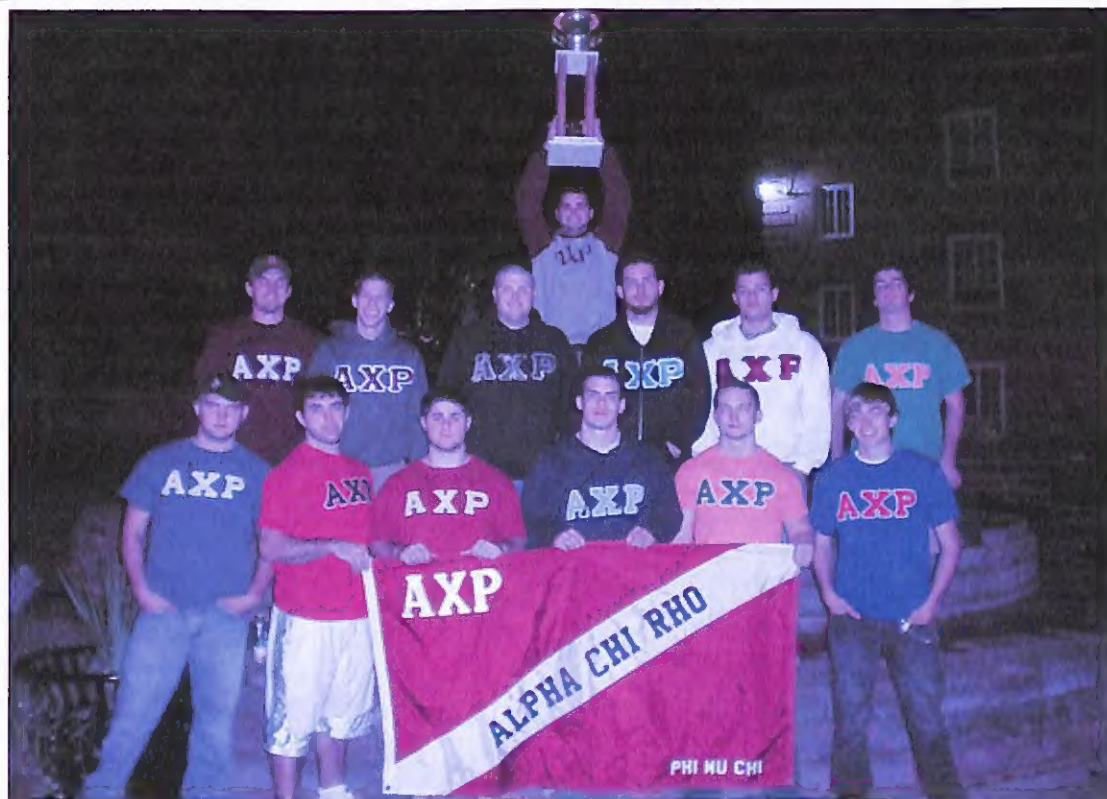
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HOMECOMING—2008

Welcome back crows! The brothers of the Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho, here at Lock Haven University, would like to formally invite everyone to this year's homecoming. We expect this year's homecoming to be an excellent chance for past and present brothers to meet and share experiences. Homecoming will be held this year on Octo-

ber 25th. We ask that anyone able to attend please contact our brothers beforehand and allow us to prepare for an amazing homecoming season. This homecoming, the buffalo is getting hairier, and we expect a great brother function.

So, please come and meet up with your fellow alumni, share fraternity memories and experiences, and have an amazing

time reliving your college experience. Contact information on this event is available on the back page of this newsletter and we always welcome questions or suggestions.

CROW BOWL 2008



2007 Crow Bowl Participants (Top Row) Stefan Armstrong, Dan Orlosky, Tom Dent, Peter Giousios, Mike Polto, Jack Willis, Eric Corby, Corey Wrubel, Mike Lisante, Mike Wentline, Julian Umbehauer, Kyle Smith (Second Row) Matt Chiplonia, Ross Cordaro, Nate Roman, Kyle Downs, Pat Fetherman, Mike Wharton, Vince Illuminate, Joe Snow, Darren Johnson (Bottom) Jonathan Fitzmaurice, Neil Simkanin

This year's Crow Bowl will be held on November 1st, on Ambler field at Temple University. Last year's third place finish was impressive to say the least and we invite all alumni to participate this year for a chance to finally claim our first Crow Bowl victory. Crow Bowl is a great opportunity to reunite past and present brothers and to get acquainted with our newest brothers.

The cost to pre-register is 35 dollars per brother and includes

A t-shirt and lunch. The cost for non players or guests is \$10 for lunch. Additional t-shirts will be available for purchase and all proceeds will benefit the Jeff Ake Family Trust fund.

If there are any questions or to register for this event please contact our brothers with the contact information on the last page of this newsletter. We hope that anyone available will register and help us finally take home our first Crow Bowl victory.



CONGRATULATIONS NEW PLEDGE CLASS—FALL '08

The brothers of the Phi Mu Chi chapter would like to congratulate our newest postulants for the Fall 2008 semester. Our postulants are: Mike, Cory, Kane, Zack, Dave, Steve, and Alvin.

We were very selective this year with our recruiting process

And we believe we have found good, quality, possible future brothers. Each of our postulants has proven great qualities and attributes and we will be proud to fill our ranks with these people, once they finish the pledging process and prove themselves as men.

Each applicant will be a good,

Quality brother in the future and we officially congratulate them on getting their bids and learning the things that make up our common bond as brothers.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community service continues to be a very important aspect of fraternity life here at Lock Haven University. We have made great progress in our efforts to support the local community.

We have continued our commitment to keep our section

Of interstate 80 clean and debris free.

During the Easter holiday we volunteered at a local church here in Lock Haven. We helped hold a fish fry every Friday afternoon during lent. This helped our status with the community greatly and was well appreciated.

The Special Olympics were held at Bald Eagle High school in Lock Haven. Our brothers helped referee, provide security, and work the tables for the hockey event.

We also participated in the "Turkey Trot," which is a 5K run during Thanksgiving. We helped direct the runners for the event.

"With these highlights, it really has upheld our image as a Fraternity, and as responsible men capable of doing anything when we are together."

FUNDRAISING AND FINANCIAL STRIDES

This past fall, the brothers of Phi Mu Chi made outstanding leaps in fundraising that proved we are still capable of keeping a good budget and stay financially stable.

Last fall, we started an annual golf tournament. We went to local businesses that sponsored holes, and in return we advertised their businesses on signs.

This tournament was very successful and we have great expectations for this year's.

Toward the end of last semester, we started selling t-shirts for graduating seniors. We made high quality t-shirts at an affordable price. This fundraiser helped us financially and had even better than expected profits.

Last fall we started selling lottery tickets on campus to students and family members. These tick-

ets helped boost our fundraising efforts early in the semester. The numbers were drawn daily on the Pennsylvania lottery and many people participated.

This semester we are looking into new ideas to better our fundraising efforts. Some of our ideas include Penn State after game cleanup with the lovely ladies of Tri Sigma, working at Hershey Park, new t-shirt

ideas, possibly candle selling, and paintball and other sponsored events.

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FINAL WORDS

The Phi Mu Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Rho is on a mission to be a role model for other chapters to follow. We intend to be viewed as a respectable, honest, and hard working chapter that contributes to making the national name of Alpha Chi Rho publicly viewed as a group based on integrity and loyalty.

